MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE, WEEK ENDED, SATURDAY 21ST JUNE 1958.

The State remained free from Plague during the week against 4 attacks with 2 deaths in the previous week. The State remained free from Plague during the corresponding weeks in 1956 and 1957.

A total of 359 attacks with 79 deaths from Small-pox were reported from the Cities of Bangalore, Kolar Gold Fields, Mangalore and from the taluks of Mulbagal, Srinivasapur, Belthangadi, Coondapur, Udipi, Puttur, Anrad, Humnabad, Hubli, Ramanagaram, Channapatna, Yelandur, Mysore, Nanjangud, Chamarajanagar, K.R. Nagar, Mudigere, Maddur, Madhugiri, Tiptur, Sorab, Sagar and Bijapur.

A total of 661 attacks with 259 deaths from Cholera were reported from the taluks of Davanagere, Molkalmuru, Chitaldrug, Harihar, Jagalur, Honnali, Shimoga, Bhadravathi, Shikaripur, Athni, Chikodi, Ramdurg, Sampagoan, Gokak, Muddebihal, Haveri, Dharwar, Mundargi, Koondul, Gadag, Naragund, Shirhatti, Kudligi, Bellary, Hadagalli, Siruguppa, Manvi, Lingsugur, Raichur, Kushtagi, and Sindhnur and from the towns of Davanagere, Honnali, Doondal.

A total of 10 attacks with nil death from Kyasanur Forest disease was reported from Shimoga District.

The State remained free from Yellow Fever, Relapsing Fever, Influenza and Infectious Hepatitis, during the week.

The total mortality for Bangalore Corporation amounted to 307 (100 in hospitals) for the week giving a calculated death rate of 15·6 (10·5 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population. Classified according to causes of deaths 4 were due to Other Fevers, 59 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, 7 due to Typhoid, 10 due to Small-pox and 227 due to All Other Causes.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 52 (21 in hospitals) for the week representing a calculated death rate of 8·8 (5·2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 10·0 (8·4 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths 12 were due to Other Fevers, 2 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 38 due to all Other Causes.

There were 27 deaths (3 in hospitals) for the week [illegible] all Causes in Kolar Gold Fields City equivalent to a [illegible]lated death rate of 7.9 (7.0 excluding hospital ca[illegible] per mille of population. Classified according to due[illegible] deaths 1 due to Typhoid, 6 due to Other Fevers, 4 Caus[illegible]ysentery and Diarrhœa and 16 due to all Other

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hospitals) [illegible]ality for Belgaum City was 14 (nil in
rate of 6.4 [illegible] week representing a calculated death
population (a[illegible]nding hospital deaths) per mille of
hospital deaths[illegible]sis) as against 4.6 (4.6 excluding
Classified accord[illegible]corresponding period of last year.
Other Fevers, 1 d[illegible]ses of deaths, 2 were due to
to Consumption a[illegible]ntery and Diarrhœa, 2 due
[illegible] All Other Causes.

The total mortality for Mangalore City was 3·6 (16 in hospitals) for the week representing a calculated death rate of 13.2 (7.3 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (annual basis) as against 6.3 (6.6 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding period of last year. Classified according to causes of deaths 2 were due to Cholera, 2 due to Fevers, 2 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, 2 due to Typhoid and 1 due to Consumption and 29 due to all Other Causes.

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